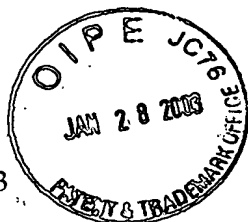


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LETTER REQUESTING APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGES

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Please review for approval the proposed changes to Figures 5 and 6 of the Formal Drawings shown in **RED** on the attached photocopies of the drawings.

Once these changes have been reviewed and approved by the Examiner in charge of this case, instructions for their implementation will be forwarded to an approved bonded draftsman.

Respectfully submitted,

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☒ Additional documents filed herewith: MARKED-UP COPY, LETTER REQUESTING APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGES MARKED IN RED WITH 2 ATTACHMENTS, MARKED-UP ORIGINAL SPECIFICATION, SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION

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